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SITUATIONS WANTED-FREE.

Are you in need of work? If so, you are at liberty to use these columns for assistance in that direction. While this holice appears the Naraz Jouran at, will publish free on Saturday, Menday and Thesday, for Topska or Kansas proper, all notices of "Situations Wanted," not exceeding five lines, or thirty-five words, in length, Provided that all advertisements of this nature are lianced in previous to the o'clock saturday morning; also on Wednessiny, Thursday and Friday, all advertising of this class handed in by ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

morning.

No advertisements of this nature to be started attend on Sahmanys and Wednesdays. No oblication is incurred on the part of the advertiser. No worthy and needy man or woman need beather to take advantage of this ofter. No one take advantage of it, but all others invited to avail themselves freely.

WANTED-HELP.

WANTED-Girl for general housework in family of 5, no washing. 315 West 12th. WANTED-Girl for general housework, no washing critical Western ave.

WANTED-Girl, good cook; casy place, good wages. Inquire at store, 1187 Lincoln. WANTED-Mon to travel and take orders for eight from dealers: \$50 to \$100 per bounth and expenses. Address with stamp, Admits Cigar Co., 40 and 42 Dearborn street, Chicago, 16.

WANTEL Good girl for general housework.

WANTED-By a man with large acquaint, ance among railroad employes, a situation with more challes firm or solutions. Address G. F. V., see Madron, North Topeka.

WANTED Position at once by a man handy at anything. First class reference, see

WANTED-Situation as chambermaid. Call

WANTED by two girls, any kind of work in hotel or restaurant except cooking. Address A. L., Journal office.

WANTED-A place by a young German girl 16 years old, to assist in housework. Ad dress to North Jefferson st. WANTED-White girl at 1107 Fillmore st.

WANTED—By a reliable mag an honorable eners. Address W. T. Z., Journal office.

WANTED—A good honest man with about \$2.500 to take built interest in one of the micest business in Tope-kn, the business is well started and making money. This is a snap for tarted and making mency. This is a snap for good man; no other need apply. Address

WANTED-MISCELLANEOUS.

W ANTED-A good full leather saddle, must be cheap. 45 Taylor st.

WANTED-To exchange cow for digging a well. Call room 26, Columbian building. WANTED-To may a double barrelled breech loading shot gyn. No. 10; must be a strong shooter, W. D. D. Sombwestern, 3rd and Adams

W ANTED-4 unformished rooms or small house, west side. A. B. C., care Journal. WANTED-A double barrel breech loading No. 17 shot gim; must be cheap. Address "Con," this onles.

W ANTED Furnaces to repair at tin shop, 827% Kansas ave. G. G. Lee.

WANTED-Partner to travel with a nice, paying, legitimate business. The advertiser has made \$7,200 unce tast February with same business; \$100 will start you, no risk; motey to go for goods; references given. For particulars address "traveler," Journal office

WANTED-Two old cook stoves and one heater, cheap, for camp; not particular about condition. E. S., Journal office.

WANTED-To hire for winter, a good 3%-inch buch wagon, or would exchange a 3%-inch wagon for it and pay difference. Topeka Coai Co. WANTED-To trade painting or papering for horse. Hunter & Son, 11s West 7th.

WANTED-A few first class boarders or roomers at 620 Jackson street. WANTED- to nice private family fow more bounders; rooms to rent; 310 West 7th st.

WANTED-Horse to use for feeding. Must be nice driver. Address "S" Journal.

WANTED-Plane tuning by S. F. Hogne.
Thirteen years employed by E. B. Guind.
I do at the plane tuning for the following firms.
Orders left at either place—E. R. Guild, 718
Ednams avenue, or Basesek & Frost, 791 Kansas

WANTED-Gasoline, cook and heating stores or address. Stores sat up or stored. Call or address THE HULL STOVE REPAIR CO., 116 East Eighth street. WANTED Some small real estate loans.

WANTED To move, STORE or salp house hold goods, freight, etc. MERCHANIS TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.

FOR RENT-HOUSES.

FOR RENT-Good 5-room beuse, Harrison between 2nd and sed. Inquire 900 Monroe I OH RENT Desirable 6-room house, bath, sewer, electric light. Inquire see Huntoon. FOR RENT Houses in Oakland, P. C. Moure, FOR RENT-A good six room house. inquire of Dr. Reny, 118 West oth St.

FOR RENT-ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms for light househeeping. 223 Monroe. FOR RENT Ninely furnished rooms, from \$4 to \$10; 700 Topeks ave.

FOR RENT-Furnished room; board if de-sired; terms reasonable. 509 Harrison. POR RENT-Suite of a pleasant unfurnished front rooms; good repair. The Jackson at. FOR RENT-A fernished room with bath; beard if desired; 718 topeka ave.

FINELY furnished firsteless rooms and table board at 700 Topeka ave. FOR RENT-Riegant upstairs apartments, partly turnished. Corner 4th and Jackson,

FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE. FOR SALE—Cottage on Lawrence street, convenient to street car. Terms, small cash payment, remainder in small amounts monthly or will take part payment in furnisher. Title clear. Address "X. Y. Z." Journal office. FOR SALE. Choice suburban tracts of 5 acres or more, substaining the city on the west, at prices ranging from \$126 to \$455 per acre. One thru easts. W. M. FORDES,

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS. FOR SALE OR TRADE-A soda water bot tiling business, well established and large trade; low price and easy terms. H. E. Dean, Great Bend, Kan.

FOR SALE—Good leather top phaeton, cheap Inquire 1252 Topeka ave.

FOR SALE-A bargain-Nice residence be-tween Fourth and Fifth on Madison street. Monthly payments. Brown, this office. FOR SALE-Household goods, almost new northeast corner 12th and Taylor sts. FOR SALE—Bedstead, spring mattress and cook stave, attryier street.

FOR SALE—A litter of fine thoroughbred pug pupples; 1920 Van Buren.

FOR SALE-Large quantity good lumber, cheap, at 214 Kansas ave., north. FOR SALE-Fine litter of thoroug abred Eng-

NOR SALE-Fancy Buff Cochins, Plymouth Rock and Light Brahmas; per Monroe. FOR SALE-A hard coal base burner stove. Pol: Sal.E-Git edge first mortgages, 7, 8, 9, 10 per cent. Simon Greenspan.

FOR SALE—Very cheap. Horse, harness and phieton. The horse is sound, gentle and especially adapted to tadies or chiefen to drive about the city. Will soil at a sacrifice. Bay, Benj. L. Smith, 1922 West 6th st. FOR SALE Good upright plane, bargain if sold soon. 308 Cline st. FOR SALE-Short time loans at 12 per cent interest. Simon Greenspan.

FOR REAL estate or rental property see Benedict & Co., 601 Kansas ave.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PIN SHOP-Moved to 8275; Kansas avenue. G. G. Leit.

CASH GIVEN AWAY—01,000.00 will be award-ed in eighty-four cash awards for correct replies to our word mix up. Send addressed stamped envelop for the mix up, to the Florence Medicine company, St. Paul, Nam.

JUST found the place where you can get your farmiture repaired and also, packed for shipment. Cleaning and laying carpets a specialty. All kinds of general jobbing work done on siort notice. Work guaranteed by a good mechanic, No. 417 West Tenth street. Plano TUN dR-All orders left at E.B. Gulld's, 713 Kansas avenue, will be promptly attended to. Samuel Fracey.

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CARPENTER and repair work. Address, Wm. Reedy, box 823, North Topeka, Kans.

CARPET CLEANING. HARMOLA Process, Satisfaction guaran-

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SPECIALIST.—832 Kansas avenue, oyo, car, at Passenger Station, corner First street and Ransas avenue, tism, image and liver, blood and skin diseases and diseases of women and children, topsultation and sale of the consultation and sale of the consu diseases and diseases of women and children, consultation and advice free. Calls attended day or night, see Kansas avenue, Topeka, kansas, Those wao can't this mouth I will treat for \$5 per mouth until cured, so can at once. Telephone 307.

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DR. D. B. Colcord, Kidney and Private dis 725 Kansas avenue. DR. G. A. TULL. Residence Sos Quincy Street. Office, 900 East 4th street.

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Practice limited to SURGERY and DISEASES
OF WOMEN, 255 Kansas avenue. Office hours,

TDA C. BARNES, M. D.

Office 782 Kan, Ave. Residence, 18th and Clay-Office Hours—9 a, m. to it a, m. and s p, m. to 5 p. m. Phone 99. DE BVA HARDING.

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A satisfied customer is a permanent one. That's why we recommend De Witt's Early Risers. They cure constipaion, Indigestion and Billiousness J. K.

Ransas City Excursion. On Sunday, Sept. 16, the Rock Island will sell excursion tickets to Kansas City for \$1.50, round trip. Trains leave To-peka 8:35 a. m. Special attractions in Kansas City.

We put on new neckbands on shirts. Peerless Steam Laundry, 113 and 114 West Eighth street.

THE SANTA PE ROUTE,

TRAINS TO BIDE ON. In Effect on and after Sept. 14, 1894.

	WES	TROUNI	0.	
Trains.	No	Leave Kansas City.	Arrive Topeks.	Leave
Wichita local	118	8:15 am	10:35 am	10:40 AL
Oklahoma & Texas local	770	6 15 Sec.	10:35 am	10-10 88
Den. & Tex. Lim	113	8 13 am	11:30 mm	11:50 BE
California Lim.	3	1:35 pm	3:85 pm	3:45 pc
Topeka plug Colorado Night	109	4:30 pm	6:40 pm	*******
Express Man. & B. Acc.			11:20 pm	
Ex. Sunday	153			7:30 as
*Between Kans	as (nty and	Lopeka o	nly.
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Trains.	No		Leave Topeka.	Kansa City.
K. C. Local Chicago Vesti-	114	1:50 pm	2:00 pm	4:20 pt
Columbian Lim	6 4	2:85 pm 7:10 pm	2:85 pm 7:30 pm	
Missouri River		5:40 sins		S:00 mr

* Topola and Kansas City Man. & B. Acc. Ex. Sunday... 154 2:00 pm *Between Kansas City and Topeka only. ATCHISON AND ST. JOSEPH. No. Leave | Leave | Arrive Trains.

Pacific, Mexico & Texas Ex-Night Exp. ... 105 8:40 am 9:37 am 11:30 am Night Exp. ... 107 8:15 pm 9:15 pm 11:30 am Leave Arrive Arrive Topekn. Atchia'n St. Joe. St. Joe Express. 108 5:45 am 7:36 am 8:30 am

Buy railroad, Pullman or steamship tickets of ROWLEY BROS.

Agents Santa Fe route, southeast corner Sixth and Kansas avenue, Topoka.

Or W. C. GARVEY, Agent at Depot, Or ARNOLD & SON.

Agents, North Topoka.

BOCK ISLAND ROUTE.

In effect on and after April 29, 1894.

	_	A. Transmission		_
Trains.	No.	Leave Kansas City.	Arrive Topeka,	Leave Topeka.
Solid Vestibule ExpressA Through Fast	11	11:20 am	1:25 pm	1:85 pm
Chicago, Texas	9	9:20 pm	11:30 pm	11:40 pm
Express A Bonth western	1	10:35 nm Ly S. J.	12:40 pm	12:55 pm
ExpressA Southwest Night	13		12:40 pm	
Express B	-9.		11:30 pm	11:50 pm
	KAS	TBOUND).	
Trains.	No.	Arrive Topeka.	Leave Topeka.	Arrivo Kansas City.
Limited Express. A Soild Limited Vestibule Ex-	12	3:25 pm	3:80 pm	5:35 pm
pross A St. Joseph and Eastern Ex-	2	3:45 pm	3:50 pm	5:55 pm
pressA Express and Mail via St.	14	*********	8:55 pm	7:20 pm
Joseph C Express and Mall via Kan-	4	5:85 am	5:50 am	9:20 810
AND COURSE OF THE PARTY	10	5:45 am	6:00 am	8:00 am

City Passenger Agent.

UNION PACIFIC.

Change of Time, In Effect February 7, 1893. NION PACIFIC-EASTBOUND

Trains.	No.	Leaves Denver.	Leaves Topeka.	Arrives Kansas City.
Eastern Vesti- builed Express, Limited	10.00	8: 30 pm 9: 05 am		5:00 pm 7:00 am
Kansas City ac-		Leaves Junct'n City. 4:35 am	7:10 am	9:30 am
UNION PA	ACL	PIC-WE	STROUN	D.
Trains.	No.	Leaves Kausas City.	Leaves Topeka.	Arr.vos Denver.
Denver & Pacific Vestibuled Express	7		12:55 pm 11:10 pm	
Junction City	5	4:00 pm	6:50 pm	Arrives Junct'n City. 9:20 pm

car, free chair cars, etc., running over the Chicago & Alton from Kannas City, has through alceper for St. Louis via Missouri Pacific.

Train No. 7, solid vestibule for Denver, maxing direct connection for Pacific coast, through Poliman car for Sait Lake; through colonist car to Portignal data etc. to Portland, etc. etc. City ticket office, 525 Kansas avenue.

> L. T. & S. W. EAST

*Leave Topeka... | Via Meriden and | 7:30 a.m Arrive Leavenworth, WEST.

*Leave Leavenworth, via Oskaloosa. 4:50 p.m Arrive Topeka. 8:50 p.m *Accommodation, daily ex. Sunday.

Train. No L'v's Topeka Topeka and Fort Scott ac-285 10:00 a. m. A'v's Topeks Topeka and Fort Scott ac-commodation...... 286 5:30 p. m.

VINEWOOD & HIGHLAND PARK R. B. Trains will leave Quincy Street station week ays for Vinewood as follows: 6:45, 11:51, 4:67, Trains will leave Vinewood for Quincy street

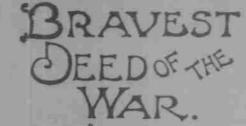
SUNDAY TRAINS. Leave Quincy street 8:02, 9:19, 10:28, 11:5t, 1:50, 3:07, 4:24, 5:41, 7:40, 8:40, 9:50, 11:16, 12:30, 2:30, 2:47, 3:04, 8:24. Extra Sunday trains will be run seconding to company orders.

MONEY TO LOAN.

L low rates. Privilege of paying \$100 or more.
L L Betzer, 519 Kansas avenue. Fudley's bank. MONEY LOANED on horses, planos, house-hold goods and all kinds of chattel securi-ties. L. Bissoe, 528 Kansas avenue, roum 3. MONEY to loan on bonds, mortgages or per-sonal notes.

SIMON GREENSPAN. GOOD notes and mortgages bought and sold. PARTIES wishing a safe and paying invest-ment for their money, call at once on S. M. Wood & Co., 534 Kansas ave.

Shirts mended by the Peerless.





HE lines of the Union army when General break and drive

he ordered an attack in force to be made on General Grant's line of circumvallation on July 19, 1864.

in the vicinity of an old country inn called "The Yellow Tavern." 110 7:30 am 9:40 am should be made just before the dawn of day, the time most favorable for a man." It was the experience, howthe gray of the morning that it was grasped the flagstaff as he fell backdifficult to bring their troops into line at that early hour. Although they were generally 'but in the gristle

Hence it was that General Johnston Express..... 106 4:30 pm 6:35 pm 7:35 pm Hagood, whose brigade of South Carohad broken before he could align his true a soldier as ever drew a sword in battle; to him the path of duty was the path of honor, and although he saw that his brigade was in plain view manned their intrenchments, he orsurface, and the broken nature of the most puzzling. ground afforded some shelter until it within seventy yards of the works

least, not of the rising generation.

It then met with a terrific fire of artillery and rifles, but it was comliving stepped; and their leveled bayonets soon sparkled within twenty There the brigade came to an involuntary halt, for before it lay a wide, it had no means of crossing. Unable ered his hopeless fire with the energy

of despair. deadly juncture a mounted officer read it." was seen to emerge from the sallyport of an earth-work at a re-entering angle of the line of intrenchments, copy; brigade. He galloped up to the color bearer of the - South Carolina regiment, and, holding out his right form and shoulder straps of the daring Union officer indicated that he was a captain of infantry. He was, apparently, about thirty years of age, with a noble and handsome face, and

tall, heroic form. The color sergeant, seemingly dazed, or perhaps paralyzed by the sublime effrontery of the demand,

surrendered the colors. The fing was especially dear to the regiment, for it had been presented by the ladies of the district in which the regiment was raised, and it had been borne aloft with honor on many battlefields. It was a state flag with the arms of South Carolina upon it, and a counterpart of that which the famous Palmetto regiment in the Mexican war had planted on the walls of the capital of Mexico, the



"GIVE ME THAT PLAG, SIR."

first foreign flag to wave there since the time of Cortez That it should have been delivered up to a single foeman when there were a thousand men-all veteran soldiers-to defend it, and the thrust of a bayonet or the pulling of a trigger could have disposed of him, was past all understanding. I have thought that, perhaps, being sorely perplexed with their comrades falling fast all around them, they may have thought at the moment that the delivery of the flag was intended as a signal to the troops in the trenches to cease firing. At any rate, they lost their heads for the

Not so, however, was it with General Hagood, who was distant about seventy-five yards, and saw with amazement the surrender of the flag. He was on foot, his horse having

been shot under him, and he came forward on a run to intercept the officer, who was riding slowly along the front of the regiment, obliquing somewhat toward his own lines. General Hagool, on coming up with aim, seized the bridle of his horse, and leveling his cocked revolver at the captain's breast, said to him, "Give me that flag, sir!" The answer was, "Who are you?" The general replied, "I command this brigade. I admire your bravery. Give me the were closing flag, and you shall return unmolested around Peters to your own lines." The captain who burg like a shroud of iron, had furled the flag and was holding it upright, with the ferrule of the Lee resolved to staff resting on the pommel of his saddle, responded: "General, you them back, if possible. To that end had better surrender to me yourself.

Look behind you." The general looked to the rear, and saw that a large force which had sal-The point selected for assault was lied from the intrenchments on his teft was moving to cut off his retreat, all other commands having retired The order was that the attack from the fruitless assault. Turning to the defiant captain, he exclaimed: "Once more, sir, will you give up that surprise, "when deep sleep falleth on flag?" The answer was in a loud tone, "Never!" With the answer Genever, of many Confederate officers eral Hagood fired, and the officer fell, charged with the duty of attacking in shot through the breast. He still ward, and it was wrested from his grasp. The general then mounted the horse and ordered a retreat, which and not yet hardened into the bone of was effected with a loss of nearly onemanhood," they were in one sense, at half of the brigade.

The captured horse was killed on the retreat by a shot from the Union lines, and as he fell he kicked out his linians was assigned to the right of the heels, and, as if to avenge his fallen attacking force found that daylight master, struck Dr. Taylor, the brigade surgeon, in the head, inflicting a command. General Hagood was as wound from the effects of which he never entirely recovered.

Often within the lines at Petersburg, around many a campfire, Confederate soldiers discussed the strange of the Union troops, who had already incident of the flag surrender at Yellow Tayern. How it was that such a dered it to advance to the assault. It famous regiment should have allowed had to cross a space of about 250 yards | its flag to be surrendered in battle to in width, which had an undulating a force consisting of but one man, was

The occult power of hypnotism debouched upon a level highway, might have furnished a solution, but it was then unheard of, and is still unknown to the art of war.

All agreed, however, that no braver posed of seasoned veterans and never deed was everdone than that of the faltered. Where the dead fell the Yankee captain who fell, still grasping that flag.

I was then a captain of engineers feet of the line of intrenchments. in the Confederate army. Sixteen years later General Hagood was the honored chief magistrate of the state deep ditch, half full of water, which of South Carolina. I was a circuit judge, and holding court at Columbia. to advance, yet nawilling to retreat and called on the governor at the without orders, every soldier deliv- capital to pay my respects. I found him highly elated, and he said to me as soon as I was seated: "You recol-As a merciful suggestion, no doubt lect that Federal officer that I was promoted by admiration for a body of obliged to shoot in the battle of Yelbrave men, doomed otherwise to car- low Tavern, to recover the flag? Well, tain slaughter, the Union soldiers thank heaven, I did not kill him! He called out to them to surrender; but is still living. Here is a letter that 1 the call was unheeded. At that have just received from him. Please

I read the letter with the deepest Pythian Sisters 10,000 Knights and 14,500 interest, of which the following is a Sisters.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, Dec. 4, 1880 nearly opposite to the center of the GENERAL JOHN-TON HAGOOD, Columbia, S. C. GENERAL-If I am correctly informed you are the Confederate officer who shot me in the right breast, in the battle of Yellow Tavern. The wound was inflicted to recover hand, demanded the surrender of the from me a regimental fla; which had been colors. Although mounted, the uniers I had apparently recovered entirely from it, but it has troubled me for some time, and I now find myself obliged to apply for a

As I was within your lines and out of sight of my comrades when I was shot I am obliged to request that you will aid me to prove that received the wound in the line of my duty. You would do me a great favor if you will make affidavit stating the facts and forward it to me Please state also that you have no interest in my claim. I am, general, yours respectfully.

JAMES BAILEY. Late Captain Fourth Iowa Volunteer In-

I am unable to state the entire contents of the affidavit, but I noted this paragraph:

"Captain Bailey received the wound

described while in the faithful discharge of his duty as a soldier. "His act was the bravest that I have ever known or read of in military annals. Nor was it an act of mere inconsiderate rashness, for, in my deliberate judgment, had I not interposed as I did, my entire brigade of

his single arm." In his letter inclosing the affidavit, Governor Hagood extended to Captain Bailey a most cordial invitation to visit South Carolina as his guest.

He assured him of a most sincere welcome, and that he would be received by an escort of many thousands of ex-Confederate veterans, all now heartily loval to the United States. He stated, further, that the flag with which Captain Bailey's wound was so honorably associated was still preserved, not as a hostile symbol, but as a souvenir of comradeship, and that he would be pleased to place it in his hands, and have him view it in the midst of friendly surroundings.

Captain Bailey made a most soldierly reply, expressing his grateful appreciation of the invitation so cordially extended to him to visit South Car-

olina as the guest of the governor. He expressed his sincere regret, however, that the state of his health would not permit him to make the | 1837, although a charter was not secured journey at that time, and stated that | until 1853. he hoped to do so, at some future day, as it would afford him the highest gratification to meet as friends in the walks of peace the brave men whom he had met as foes in war .- McClure's Magazine.

Forced to Confess.

A curious point in Swedish criminal law is that confession is necessary before a capital sentence can be carried out. If, however, the culprit persists in protesting his innocence in the face of overpowering evidence the prison discipline is made extremely severe, so as to extort the desired confession.

MASONIC.

Priennial Convocation of the Royal Arch Grand Chapter-Notes

About 350 Royal Arch Masons assembled at Topeka at the triennial convocation of the general grand chapter of the United States. The following officers were elected for the next three years: General grand master, John W. Coburn, New York; general grand deputy master, Bradford Nichol, Nashville; general grand princi-pal conductor, W. A. Love, Atlanta; general grand treasurer, Charles H. Heaton, of Montpeller, Vt.; general grand recorder, Henry W. Murdhurst, Fort Wayne, Ind.; general grand captain of the guard, William H. Mayo, St. Louis; general grand conductor of council, S. Bowen, Boston; general grand marshat, George D. Mo-Bride, Galliopolis, O.; general grand stoward, Andrew P. Swanstorm, St. Paul.

There is a brother in California who favors an increase of fees for the symbolic degrees to \$300 and dues in proportion. If such figures provailed, Masonry would soon cease to be of any use in the world, for it would truly be a rich man's club and add a luxury instead of a society to belp, aid and assist each other.

The law of England until quite recently required 12 months to clapse between the raising and exaltation of a candidate. Masonry is a method of life full of no-

ble purposes and responsive to the call of obligations. The York and Scottish Rite emanated from the same source, and the difference

between them is purely one of govern-Bro. Robert Macoy is the first and most indefatigable worker and friend of the

Eastern Star it has ever had. While the warfare of science drives wedge after wedge into the rigid ecclesiastical dogmatism of creeds, it has no power over the subjective religion of the heart, in which alone men can be made to agree, and which, therefore, is the religion of

Freemasonry. All Masonic secrets are concealed in the

Hebrew or Chaldee languages. Alabama has 11,878 Master Masons, 1,079 Royal Arch Masons and 357 Knights Templars.

There are 9,589 Knights Templars in Massachusetts and Bhode Island. The latest statistics show that the Knights Templars number 97,765.

In the cave of Elephanta are signs engraved among the sculptures now in Masonic use.

There are 160,000 Royal Arch Masons in the United States. The Chinese empire and Sandwich Islands are under the jurisdiction of the

general grand chapter of the United States. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

A Bright Future Predicted For the Order.

Plume Tips. The order was never in a more prosperods condition. It is blossoming like a rose and beeming as it never beemed before. Its progress is upward, permanent and rapid. It is now representing the crystallized filess of the immortal order of 10 years ago, and I can fairly predict that within the next 10 years 1,000,000 of the cream and chivalry of the civilized world will be connected with the order. Congress has only recently conferred upon it the distinction of granting it a perpetual charter, a recognition never before in the history of the world accorded to any secret

society. - Supreme Chancellor Blackwell. At the present time there are in the

The total membership of the endowment rank March 31 was 33,731; admitted during quarter, 1,829; reinstated, 63; forfeited, 740; canceled, 5; resigned, 83; died, 100; total membership July 1, 84,-684.

were instituted prior to Jan. 1, 1894, a net increase of 191 is shown, and the four lodges instituted during last term increases the gain to 162. There are 4,223 members

In St. Louis, among the lodges that

Since Jan. 1, 174 sections have been organized in the endowment rank and 8,898 new members admitted, carrying insur-

ance of \$6,708,000. UNITED WORKMEN.

Regular Meetings Are the Life of the Order,

The most demoralizing idea that can provail anywhere concerning a beneficiary order is that a subordinate lodge can prosper without holding regular meetings. A. great many men cannot see any partieular benefit in periodically meeting together when it seems to them that all that is necessary to be done is to collect and remit the assessments. Lodge meetings are as necessary to the success of the order as food is to the human body.

three assessments for August. veterans might have surrendered to Don't reinstate a member who is suspended for arrearages of dues without having an approved medical examination. Don't permit your medical examiner to

The New York jurisdiction called for

amining applicants for reinstatement. Don't reinstate a member who has been suspended over 30 days until he signs a health certificate on the blank provided for same.

use other than renewal blanks when ex-

Within two years the order has gained 25 new divisions in Massachusetts, comprising a membership gain of over 5,000, There are 20,000 members in the state.

The order in New Jersey is in an excel-

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lent condition. More than \$40,000 has been expended in charity during the past Motto of the order: Friendship, unity

and true Christian charity. More than 100,000 owe allegiance to the order in this country.

Pennsylvania has a membership of 35,-000. The first division of the order in this country was organized in New York in

United Friends.

The executive committee of the imperial council has voted to change the place of the next session of the imperial council from Detroit to New York city. The session occurs on Sept. 24, 25, 26.

There are 1,100 members of the order in Philadelphia, 890 in Alleghany and 500 in Pittsburg. Henry Wilson council of Natick stands

at the head of the order in Massachusetts in point of work the past term, and also

in financial standing. The per capita tax for the benefit of the grand council of Pennsylvania has been mcreased from 75 to 80 cents.